AGREEMENT OF THE ENVOYS AT PEKING NOT SATISFACTORY.

Will Not Be Accepted by the United States if Terms Are as Stated in Dispatches from China.

TWO POINTS OBJECTIONABLE

DISMANTLING OF TAKU FORTS NOT APPROVED BY THE PRESIDENT.

Neither Was the Proposition for Permanent Military Occupation of the Peking-Tien-Tsin Road.

RADICAL OTHER PROPOSALS

CHINA ASKED TO PAY MORE IN-DEMNITY THAN SHE CAN.

Possibility that the United States Will Be Supported by Another Powerful Government.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 26 .- The State De- | cording to the Shanghai correspondent of partment has been informed of the agree- the Morning Post, is seriously ill and has ment, or understanding, or preliminary | telegraphed for his adopted son, Li Ching treaty (it is not possible now to learn in | Fang. just what form the matter stands), reached by the foreign ministers at Peking, but it is not regarded as expedient to give out for publication at this time any detailed information regarding it. It may be stated, however, that the arrangement stands a tion of all the powers represented in the Peking conference, unless some material amendments are permitted. Just what the objectionable features are can only be surmised, in view of the adverse decision of the authorities respecting publication. But, accepting as accurate the statement from Peking that the basis of the agreement is to be found in the French note, it is easy to perceive that there are not lass than two points, which, if included in their DRIVES THROUGH THE STREETS original shape, would not meet with the unqualified approval of this government. For instance, the President expressly reserved his opinion as to the proposition that the Taku forts be dismantled. He also withheld his approval of the French proposition that there be a permanent military occupation at two or three points

There were several points to which the assent of the United States was given, namely, provisions for the punishment of the guilty Chinese, who may be designated by the representatives of the powers at Peking; for the collection of equitable indemnities (and in this connection our government suggested a reference of the subject to The Hague tribunal), and, finally, at Peking. The latter, however, was to be temporary until Congress acted on the matter. Unless the ministers at Peking the requirements of the French note, therefore, it may be predicted that our government will feel obliged to seek some alterations in the arrangement before it gives adherence.

king.

There is some reason to believe that the indemnity proposition has taken such an excessive form as to make it impossible for the Chinese government to meet the demands, and this fact, taken in connec tion with the unreasonable demands of some of the powers respecting punishments, may oblige our government to endeavor to have the demands moderated. There are indications, too, that in these efforts our government is to receive the support of one of the most powerful of the governments represented at the Peking conference and one which has been supposed of late to have favored an ex- William Hanbury, president of the board of treme position.

Dr. Von Holleben, the German ambas dor, who recently returned to Washington Kruger's complaint of "British barbarism," after an absence since last spring, called at the State Department to-day and had a long interview with Secretary Hay, supposedly with reference to Chinese matters, among other things.

Two More Proposals Agreed To. LONDON, Nov. 27 .- Dr. Morrison, wiring to the Times from Peking, Sunday, says: "The foreign envoys have agreed to two proposals that were previously rejected, owing to lack of unanimity. These are Sir Ernest Satow's proposal that China should agree to recast the commercial treaties and the Italian proposal that China should consent to foreign financial control as guarantee of the indemnity. The delay in the presentation of the joint note is due to postponements by the home governments. This increases the difficulties of the position and aggravates the dislocation of trade and finance, especially the collection of inland revenues. At the lowest estimate the indemnity is computed at \$60,000,000.

MERELY A SUGGESTION.

# Ambassador White Did Not Present a

Formal Note to Germany. BERLIN, Nov. 26 .- The entire German press refers editorially this evening to a report that United States Ambassador White on Saturday handed the new Amer-Ican note regarding the Chinese settlement to Baron Von Richthofen, secretary for foreign affairs, all the papers declaring that Germany refused to comply with the demands therein formulated.

When Mr. White was approached on this subject this evening he replied that he had no interview with Baron Von Richthofen on Saturday nor had he then received the American note. He asserted that he had received nothing from Washington since Thursday and that what he received then was not a note, but merely instructions, in consequence of which h had an interview with the secretary for

foreign affairs on Friday. Mr. White reiterated that the result of the Friday interview was satisfactory. adding: "It was merely an interchange of interviews in which no definite propositions were submitted and no definit engagements was entered upon. What was said was in the nature of a suggestion looking towards greater moderation in the nuntshments, but this was only a suggeseton, which Germany could either accept or reject. It was not a formal proposi-

for more moderation in the punishment is sensible demand, which Germany could accept without either loss of dignity, especially as it appears that Great Britain sides in this particular with the United States." No other representative journal, however, adopts this tone.

ON THE GREAT WALL.

German Flag Hoisted by Col. Mueck-

lenfals After a Hard March. BERLIN, Nov. 26.-A dispatch received here from Field Marshal Count von Waldersee, dated Nov. 24, says Colonel Muecklenfel's expedition has holsted the German flag over the great wall, which was reached Nov. 22 by way of Heyling-Cheng, after a difficult mountain march. The dispatch adds that the French have had a ESTATE severe fight with Boxers thirty kilometers south of Pao-Ting-Fu.

The National Zeitung, discussing the punishment of the guilty officials in China, says: "Germany must abide by the decision of the ministers at Peking."

Letter Intercepted.

BERLIN, Nov. 26 .- "A letter from Emperor Kwang Su to Li Hung Chang has been intercepted by the Germans," says a private dispatch from Peking, "but its contents have not been made public. A small German detachment destroyed An-Hsieh-Wang, sustaining no losses. The weather here is now severely cold."

Supplies for the Court. SHANGHAI, Nov. 26 .- Native Christians from Fan-Cheng-Hsien on Han river, report that they saw 400 boats taking supplies for the court at Si-Ngan-Fu, and that the mandarins have chartered every available boat for that purpose.

Li Hung Chang Ill. LONDON, Nov. 27 .- Li Hung Chang, ac-

very poor chance of receiving the sanc- VISITS THE EIFFEL TOWER AND OTHER PLACES OF INTEREST.

> Views a Bust of Himself, Picks Up a Bible Lying Open Near It and Reads a Verse.

AND IS WARMLY RECEIVED BY PEO-PLE WHO RECOGNIZE HIM.

on the road between Tien-Tsin and Pe- Ex-President Kruger's Complaint of British Barbarism Answered by Robert William Hanbury.

PARIS, Nov. 26 .- Dr. Leyds, the diplomatic agent of the Transvaal, visited the French minister of foreign affairs, M. Deicasse, to-day. Mr. Kruger took a long drive during the afternoon in a landau. for the maintenance of a legation guard | He was accompanied by his grandson and escorted by police cyclists and mounted guards. He traversed the Boulevard des Capucines and the Champs Elysee and enhave made a very substantial change in | tered the exposition grounds. There he buildings of the exposition and the monuments of Paris. Mr. Kruger stopped and gazed at his own bust, which was profusely decorated with flowers and other tributes of admiration. Behind the bust was a Bible lying open, and Mr. Kruger read a verse from it. He afterwards examined the is not entitled to any part of the capital Boer farm and stopped for a few moments before a portrait of Colonel De Villobois-Mareuil, the French officer who was killed in South Africa while fighting with the Boers. Thence he continued his drive to the Boise de Boulogne and then back to the hotel. He was warmly received along the route. He later received many tele

LONDON, Nov. 26 .- The Rt. Hon Robert agriculture, addressing his constituents at Preston this evening and referring to Mr. said: "This is no time for paltering with the dying embers of the Boer rebellion, for rebellion it now is, and it must be stamped out vigorously."

# Britain Wants 50,000 Horses.

NEW YORK, Nov. 26 .- Horses to the number of fifty thousand are to be purchased in this country in the next six months by agents of the British government for the use of Lord Kitchener's forces in policing the Transvaal and Orange Free State. This news has been announced by John S. Bratton, of St. Louis, who has supplied, directly and indirectly, to the British army in the last two years, many horses suitable for cavalry use. He has received a telegram from one of his managers stating that the British military purchasing agent will be at his stockyard this week to select saddle horses for immediate shipment from New Orleans to Durban Mr. Bratton's brother is a member of Parliament from a liberal constituency in the County of Tyrone, Ireland.

Refugees from South Africa.

NEW YORK, Nov. 26 .- Among the passengers who arrived to-day on board the steamer Statendam from Rotterdam, were five refugees from the South African Republic. They are S. Pearson, commissary general of the Transvaal army; Commandant W. Snyman, of the Orange Free State: cules D. Viljoen. Pearson says that his party was chased over the border into shine." Portuguese territory. They made their way to the coast and thence by steamer to Europe. Pearson says he has never been out of South Africa before and does not know a single person in the world outside of South Africa.

Roberts to Embark on the Canada. CAPE TOWN, Nov. 26. - The British steamer Canada, Captain Maddox, sailed te-day for Durban, presumably to embark

MARRIED TWELVE TIMES.

Edward Holden Given One Year in the Penitentiary for Bigamy.

TIFFIN, O., Nov. 26.-Edward Holden. charged with having been married twelve times, and who, it is alleged, has nine wives living, was sentenced to the penitentiary to-day for one year for bigamy Royale, have been found. They were lo- storm of last week, were again badly The Vossische Zeltung says: "A demand on one of the count-

SUIT THAT THROWS LIGHT ON DO-INGS OF THE CASTELLANES.

Temporary Injunction Obtained by a Bric-a-Brac Dealer from Whom the Couple Purchased Much.

TRUSTEES ENJOINED

MUST NOT PAY THE COUNTESS MONEY LEFT BY JAY GOULD.

Statement by Judge Dillon, Who Says There Was No Intention to Touch the Principal of the Bequest.

EUGENE ZIMMERMAN TALKS

CINCINNATI MILLIONAIRE READY TO WELCOME HIS DAUGHTER.

Says the Duke of Manchester Is a Fine Fellow, and Not Objectionable as a Son-in-Law.

myer applied to and obtained to-day from Justice Fitzgerald, sitting in the Supreme Court, an injunction order, returnable on Monday next, against the Count and Countess Castellane, and George Gould, Edwin Gould, Howard Gould and Helen M. Gould, as trustees under the will of Jay Gould, restraining them from paying to Anna Gould, Countess Castellane, any part of the estate in the hands of the trustees, or from applying any part of the trust fund to the debts of Anna Gould or to her support or of that of her children until the

further direction of the court. Dittmore, who sues as assignee of Asher Wertheimer, a London bric-a-brac dealer. The complaint, which is a long printed doc-Wertheimer and accepted in writing by the Count and Countess De Castellane, amounting to upwards of \$385,000, of which \$285,000 and upwards are past due. It is alleged that Anna Gould has \$18,000,000 held in trust for her by her brothers and sister, and that her income is about \$900,000. It is claimed that \$250,000 a year is all that the count and countess require for their support and the plaintiff asks that the remainder of the income should be applied to the payment of the couple's debts. It is

of the debts at their own time and on their

ily, made the following statement concerning the suit: "The Countess de Castellane or principal sum of the estate of her seems to imply. The will of Mr. Gould provides, in substance, that the income is to be a trust fund in the hands of the trustees. to be appropriated for the support and far as possible. She has no control, nor has the court any control over the princiwas appointed guardian for his sister, that the idea of the Gould family was to get possession of the income of the Countess de Castellane and force her creditors to Railway, is here to-night, and he descred- mer and who got tired about the time they the necessity for him on the floor of the her brother."

THE DUKE A BRIGHT CHAP.

Mr. Zimmerman Thinks His Son-in-

Law Is a Bright Fellow. man, whose daughter was married to the Duke of Manchester a week or so ago in England, was interviewed here to-day. He said to a reporter: "I have come here to meet my daughter and her husband. After they have rested here a few days we will go to Cincinnati and a reception will be given at my home. The Duke is a bright chap. He is a fine, manly fellow. I like a man who went to work as he did as a newspaper man when he was here. Some of his articles were first-rate, too. At no H. Snyman, jr., A. Liebenberg and Her- | time was I opposed to his marriage to my daughter. Those stories are all moon-

> "Is it true that the Duke is in a bad way financially?" asked the reporter. "I guess there won't be any difficulty

about his debts. Not at all. That does not make any difference. I don't care to speak about the marriage portion. That is a private matter. But there won't be any trouble about debts. They will be-well, and western Pennsylvania. that's all right, all right.

"Is it likely that the Duke will settle down in America and enter the railroad "No, no; the Duke is going into British

politics. He is entitled to a seat in the House of Lords, and he is going to turn his attention to politics."

Fishermen Stranded for Ten Days. DULUTH, Minn., Nov. 26 .- Two fishermen-R. L. Francis and John Irwin-who

small cove on the island. The men had a TTT small boat, but were unable to leave on account of a heavy sea. Their only food

CAUGHT ON A BOLT.

for ten days had been fish.

Two Inches of Iron Saved a Chicago Workman's Life-Others Injured.

CHICAGO, Nov. 26 .- Suspended in midair by his jacket, one hundred feet from the ground, Andrew Anderson, employed on a blast furnace in the Illinois steel works, hung for an hour to-day, while employes of the works endeavored to rescue him. Finally, by means of extension ladders, the man was taken from his perilous | NOT A position and, exhausted, carried to the ground. He was taken to the company's hospital, where he soon recovered.

The accident which placed Anderson in the perilous position resulted in seriously and probably fatally injuring three of his companions. They were all working on a scaffold at the top of a new blast furnace, when the scaffolding broke, falling with its human burden. Twenty feet from the top of the blast furnace Anderson's jacket caught on a short bolt extending two inches from the surface, and his rapid descent was suddenly checked.

work of scaffolding to the ground and were later picked up, unconscious and bleeding, by other employes and taken to the company's hospital. The injured are: FRANK VELCHECK, skull fractured

and three ribs broken; will die. GUSTAVE DIABAS, internally injured and both legs broken.

nally injured. ANDREW ANDERSON, slightly bruised. saved from further injury by being caught in midair by a projecting bolt.

## ELAODE IN THE COUTH CHICAGO, Nov. 26.-November corn NEW YORK, Nev. 26.-Samuel Unter- LUUDS IN IHL SUUTH

RAILWAYS SUFFERING FROM WASH-OUTS AND LANDSLIDES.

Unfounded Rumor that a Chesapeake & Ohio Train Dropped Into Greenbrier River.

The plaintiff in the suit is Anthony J. NO ACCIDENT, MERELY DELAY

ument, contains copies of drafts drawn by PASSENGERS TAKEN CARE OF AT WHITE SULPHUR SPRINGS.

> Havoe Among Telegraph and Telephone Poles in Ohio, Caused by Wind, Sleet and Snow.

HINTON, W. Va., Nov. 26.-There have been various reports to-night about bridges said that over \$250,000 of surplus income on the Chesapeake & Ohio being washed had already been accumulated in the hands out and trains running into the river with of the trustees, which ought to be used all aboard lost. There is nothing in any for this purpose. The present suit is said of these reports. All the trains are acto be a test case, and, it is reported, is counted for either at Alderson or White backed by other creditors than Wert- Sulphur Springs and the passengers on the delayed trains are being entertained at the A few weeks ago George J. Gould was hotels in the best possible manner. While appointed guardian for the Countess De none of the bridges are washed out, yet the Castellane in a proceeding in the French road has suffered much damage for a discourts. The creditors claim that the pur- | tance of about thirty miles in embankments ascended the Eiffel tower to the second pose of this proceeding was to get the being washed out and in landslides, the story, where M. Picard, the director gen- property of the Countess De Castellane most serious being the landslide near one eral, showed Mr. Kruger the principal away from attack by her creditors so as of the Greenbrier River bridges, not far to enable the Goulds to force settlement from White Sulphur Springs. The company will have construction crews here both from the east and west to-morrow Judge Dillon, counsel for the Gould fam- and it is expected that trains will run tomorrow night through as usual, although there will be transfers during another day The railroad is not the only one that has suffered in this district. The floods have father, as the statement of the plaintiff | done great damage in this city and in surrounding towns and to the lumber trade

everywhere, as well as to the crops. CINCINNATI, Ohio, Nov. 26.-There has been great apprehension here to-night over maintenance of his daughter, and that she a report about a Chesapeake & Ohio pasthat income until it is actually received by river bridge near Hinton, W. Va. All band; and undoubtedly the trustees will any points near it. Messages have been her death. In the foregoing statement, it what train, if any, went through the bridge, have stopped outdoor operations. is said the creditors claimed at the pro- but no response to any message has been ceedings in Paris, whereby George Gould received, and they are accepted only subject to delay.

settle on their own terms. This is obvi- its the story entirely. He said there was had worked the bulk of the contract off Senate. ously a mistake, as the only effect of the a very bad landslide near one of the the market and left a smooth path for proceeding is to prevent her from incurring Greenbrier river bridges, not far from fresh obligations without the consent of White Sulphur Springs, and it has compelled them to transfer passengers dur- path. ing the day. Owing to the high water in the river, no attempt to transfer passengers was made to-night, and two trains a cool head under like circumstances. He that left here to-day are being held over parted with 300,000 bushels, about onenight at Alderson, west of White Sulphur NEW YORK, Nov. 26.-Eugene Zimmer- Springs, and it is quite likely that trains when the bears tried to drag him off his are also being held on the other side of pedestal. He made \$30,000. Apparently he White Sulphur Springs. There are three is going to keep the settling price around bridges on this line over Greenbrier river. and the reports do not indicate at which is quite likely that the reports were started because of the landslide near White Sultrains that were due both and west of that point were ing and departing in Cincinnati on time, with the single exception of the Eastern

not heard from an account of the wires | seemingly too nimble to be crowded off express, due this evening at 5 o'clock, and | and paying out their funds on margins. it did not arrive until 8 p. m., as it did not attempt the usual fast time. It is said that the express due here at 8 o'clock | man is backing his former employe in the to-morrow morning is still on the other trade. At any rate the drying and cleanside of Greenbrier river. has been able to turn out contract corn with great rapidity in time of stress, has not added a bushel to the supply since the

Destructive floods are reported from many points in West Virginia, Kentucky

RAIN, SLEET, SNOW, WIND. Combination That Played Havoc in

Ohio Yesterday.

CLEVELAND, O., Nov. 26 .- Another violent storm prevailed on Lake Erie and through northern Ohio last night, the wind the rate of sixty miles an hour. The gale | Saturday. was accompanied by heavy rain and sleet. The lake has been lashed to a wild fury and no vessels are leaving port. The telehave been missing for two weeks and have graph and telephone companies, which been given up as lost in the lake near Isle suffered great damage from the heavy cated by a passing vessel, stranded in a (CONTINUED ON PAGE 2, COL. 5.)

PHILLIPS SHOWS HE IS MASTER OF THE CHICAGO GRAIN PIT.

Cool-Headed Young Speculator Plays "Bear" and "Bull" and Astonishes Old Traders.

MERCILESS SQUEEZER

HAS SET HIS PRICE AT 50 CENTS AND WILL KEEP IT THERE.

cells 300,000 Bushels to Keep th Mark Down and Buys 100,000 to Force It Up.

His companions crashed through the net- CLEARS \$30,000 ON THE DEALS to public houses, some of it possibly to be

CHECKS EFFORTS TO LOAD HIM WITH LOW GRADES OF CORN,

Has a Tilt with Counselman and Stops THOMAS JONES, arm broken and interthe Dumping of Poor Grain Into Steamer.

> touched 50 cents to-day. It made an advance of 5 cents for the day, of 10 cents a bushel for the week, and of almost 15 cents within four weeks. Young Mr. Phillips sold what corn changed hands at that point; shorts did the buying that advanced the market to the 50-cent quotation. The 5-cent advance over the close of last week made the day the notable one so far for the campaign. A roar and a cheer gave notice of the half-dollar achievement, and there was a flocking toward the already overcrowded corn pit from all over the floor. The tip-top figure was made in the first hour. November, starting at 46 cents sold between 46 cents and 50 cents, and closed at 49 cents. The slight final recession was, like the others which have been experienced, brought about by selling by

the bull leader.

The man with the "corner" in the hollow of his hand is apparently not ready to let it get away from him. He has watched the speculative careers of other men with corners, and believes that most of them lost because of their greed to extort the last penny. All the morning the little "corn king" stood on the edge of the pit and watched the ebb and flow of the bat- | Feels that He Is Needed in the Senate tle. Whenever the clamorous "shorts' howled up the price in the face of responsive takers he pushed to the front line and let out more corn. Some of the dealers thought the juvenile-looking speculator was in straits and was running to wind of his string. They jumped on the marits master; that he could regulate it at

The fellows who tried to get some of the corn king's" money in the delusion that he was weakening are now wondering where they will get off on Friday. The closing price was 49 cents, a reaction du to Phillips's selling. It was significant to some traders that the firms who are reputed to be at the mercy of Phillips have not given any sign of excitement or wor-

closely as the king of the golden cereal. to make good the obligations to Phillips. | nourishment and there was even difficulty cannot anticipate or dispose of any part of senger train going through the Greenbrier To the outsider there is no sign of this in administering the necessary medicine predicted movement. The receipts for the His wife, parents and sisters kept close at her, and that until so received it shall not through wires on that line are down and it day, including Sunday, were 900 cars, of be liable for her debts or those of her hus- is impossible to reach Greenbrier river or which not more than 10 per cent. graded be done to alleviate his suffering was done No. 2. Compared to the requirements for by nurses and loved ones. When not defeel it their duty to have this provision in | sent to New York and elsewhere and that | settling day, this was not a drop in the the will carried out to its full extent, or so place cannot be reached from either the bucket. Advices from the corn belt are east or the west. Many messages have that corn is damp and under grade. Very been sent by those who have had friends little of the new crop has been taken from pal sum, which goes to her children after on that road to-day, as it was not known the husk. The rains of the past two weeks

The excited market was the unmistakable admission of the corn trade that Phillips has a "cinch" on his corner. Some Charles B. Ryan, assistant general pas- of the other brokers, who tried to nurse senger agent of the Chesapeake & Ohio a little corner in November corn last sumtheir successor, envy the little fellow, but they are not throwing anything in his

> Phillips's conduct to-day won him great praise. Few men have been able to keep tenth of his holdings. He bought 100,000

If the shorts are meditating a coup on bridge the accident occurred, so that it the last day they may wake up to find that Phillips has closed out his line. He phur Springs and the fact that whatever may happen. As long as he east keeps on selling more than he buys and holds the market down to 50 cents, he the market with his corner. Other speculators have been broken by buying at a big price in order to hold up the market George A. Seaverns is said to be giving aid to Phillips. Some think the elevator ing house of Seaverns, which in the past

benevolence in the success of his former To-day's price of corn is the highest since June, 1895, when a predicted famine ran up the price for cash corn. December corn felt the influence of the short grading in coming from the north and blowing at November and went up half a cent over

Phillips corner has developed. Mr. Seav-

erns's inactivity is not credited to pure

LOWER GRADES OF CORN.

Tricky Speculators Try to Foist It on "Corn King" Phillips.

down as below contract grade two cargoes tendered to Phillips by Counselman and Bartlett-Frazer had the expected effect of strengthening the bull leader and adding further worry to the troubles already heaped upon the shoulders of the shorts. For the first time in several days Phillips took an active hand in the game as an open bidder for small and large lots. The opening price was 46 cents and there was a gradual advance to 491/2 cents, Phillips taking most of the offerings. The first bid of 50 cents was by Carr for 5,000 bushels and it brought some stop loss orders on the market. Phillips filled one of 50,000 bushels for Logan and made a number of smaller sales, his sales exceeding his purchases by about 60,000 bushels. While November gained 4 cents, December was also strong on covering by shorts and a big trade, selling early at 36% cents and closing at 36% cents. May closed unchanged at 36% cents. There was some changing from December to May at 1/4 cent premium for December. Acceptances were heavier, but for deferred shipment, and the elevators, disheartened by the failure of their attempt to foist dry kiln corn on Phillips, were not in the market for low grades. The receipts, 511 cars, included only 51 cars contract. There were 8,000 bushels in by canal boat and 49 cars

A dispute arose over the quality of corn being loaded on the steamer Pabst at the Counselman elevator "C" in South Chicago. The loading began in the morning with a different quality of corn from that tendered Saturday. It was passed on favorably by Chief Inspector Smilie and accepted by Mr. Phillips's inspector. Some 20,000 bushels had been loaded when Mr. Smilie left the dock and declared there could be no objection if the quality was kept up. Down on the Board of Trade, where November corn had risen in the pits to 50 cents, almost as much excitement was ury Department this afternoon decided (CONTINUED ON PAGE 2, COL. 2.)

and 41,000 bushels transferred from private

turned down by the appeals committee

SENATOR DAVIS LOSING IN HIS BRAVE STRUGGLE FOR LIFE.

His Strength Slowly Ebbing, and Death Thought to Be Only a Question of a Few Hours.

DELIRIOUS MOST OF THE TIME

EXPRESSES A STRONG DESIRE TO LIVE WHEN ABLE TO SPEAK.

for a Few Years More-Condition of Russia's Ruler.

ST. PAUL, Minn., Nov. 26.-It now seems to be simply a question of hours until ket and tried to sell corn at 47/2c. Phillips | United States Senator Cushman Kellogg turned instantly from seller to buyer, from Davis passes away, the reports from his bear to bull, and snapped up every man | bedside this afternoon being that his who was willing to shade the price he strength was slowly ebbing. His physiwas making. The decline stopped at once. clans do not anticipate dissolution imme-Phillips showed the corn pit that he was diately, but practically admit that so far as any human agency is able to know death is certain. The family have all along been buoyed up with a faint hope that the statesman might have greater reserve strength and be able to baffle the disease, but to-day they seemed to have at last abandoned even this faint hope and are anxiously awaiting the end. Last night showed a recurrence of the delirium of Friday night in fully as pronounced a form and none of the family was able to secure rest during the night. Only three cy. They have not shown their hands in | hours' sleep was secured by the patient, the pit. They are watching affairs as and during the early morning to-day he was noticeably weaker, while as the day There is still some talk of special trains | advanced the weakness became more procoming from the country with corn enough | nounced. He was unable to take much hand during the day, and all that could little conscious of what was passing about

> Drs. Stone and Lancaster alternate now in spending nights at the bedside, to-night being Dr. Stone's watch. In his moments of semi-consciousness the senator will exclaim about his desire to live and express subcommittee having it in special charge his wish for a few years more of life, as he feels he is needed in the Senate. His attendants are much affected with the earnestness with which he states his belief in

> At 1:30 this (Tuesday) morning Dr. Stone issued this bulletin: "Senator Davis is little nourishment. Respiration, 16; pulse, numbered among the supporters of the

THE CZAR IS IMPROVING.

Bulletin Issued by His Majesty's Phy sicians at Livadia. LIVADIA, European Russia, Nov. 26, 11 m .- The following bulletin regarding the

Czar's condition has bene issued. "The Emperor passed a good day yesterday. He was able to sleep a little and of the Bureau of Construction and Rehad some perspiration. At 3 o'clock in pairs of the Navy Department, on retireclaims now that he cannot be squeezed the afternoon his temperature was 99.3 temperature was 99.5; pulse, 72. His Majesty passed a good night. He perspired profusely. This morning the august patient's condition was very satisfactory. A 9 o'clock his temperature was 99.9; pulse 70. In the general course of his illness a distinct improvement is observable." LONDON, Nov. 26 .- Since the Czar's

sickness apparently assumed a serious turn it has ben the daily practice of brokers in Paris, London and elsewhere, to announce his Majesty's death. Hence, probably, the reports of the Czar's death, which have reached New York. COPENHAGEN, Nov. 26 .- The Danish court has received advices from Livadia

that the confinement of the Czarina is fast approaching.

Bishop C. S. Hale Dying.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Nov. 26.-Rt. Rev.

critically ill in Cairo, and his death is expected at any time. Bishop Hale has been

suffering from valvular disease of the heart for the past two years, and spent about a year in Europe for the purpose of improving his health, and returned slightly improved, but has since grown worse. of the appeals committee in turning any time owing to Bishop Hale's condition. controversial stage, and the indications are

DOWIEITE LACEMAKERS ADMITTED TO THE UNITED STATES.

Action of Philadelphia Immigration Officials Reversed by the Treasury Department.

MR. POWDERLY'S STATEMENT

NEW INDUSTRY TO BE ESTABLISHED AT ZION CITY, ILL.

Imported Workmen to Be Employed in Manufacturing the Thread Used in Making Lace.

HOUSE COMMITTEES AT WORK

PREPARING MEASURES TO BE IN-TRODUCED NEXT WEEK,

Gen. Fitzhugh Lee to Assume His New Duties at Omaha in a Few Days-Bowles to Succeed Hichborn.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 26. - The Treasto admit the lace-workers and their famllies, who were brought to this country by Dr. J. A. Dowie, the "Divine healer" and the founder of Zion City, Ill., to teach others the art of lace-making. This is a reversal of the actions of the Philadelphia immigration officials, who had decided that the lace-makers should not be admitted

to this country. Commissioner General Powderly, in his letter to the commissioner of emigration, at Philadelphia, directing that the lace makers be admitted, said: "It appears that it is the purpose of Dr. John A. Dowie, who had arranged with the appellants to come over with the purpose of securing their services in the manufacture, not only of lace, but also of the thread from which such lace is to be made. Although lace making, in some of its branches, has been carried on in this country for some years, heretofore, it seems to have been the practice to import the thread used in such establishments. The department is of opinion that said industry is a new one, not established, and as it is not claimed or shown by the representatives of the lace makers' union that labor could have been obtained in this country to prosecute the industry, there is, apparently, no violation of the alien contract labor laws." It 's held that the immigrants come within the law's exception. It is also held that they are not

likely to become public charges. The subcommittee of the appropriations committee of the House having in charge the legislative appropriation bill, began work to-day and decided to call before it officials of the Congressional Library and of the State and Treasury Departments.

These officials will be heard to-morrow. General Fitzhugh Lee, who recently was relieved from duty as commander of the Division of Havana and Santa Clara, and ordered to take command of the Department of Missouri, relleving General Merriam, was at the War Department today receiving his final instructions. He will proceed to the headquarters of the Department of Missouri at Omaha within a few days to assume his new duties. General Merriam will retain his position as commander of the Department of Colorado. with headquarters at Denver. General Lee

visited the White House this afternoon. x x x Senator Fairbanks had a conference lasting nearly two hours with the President to-day. The senator, on emerging from the presidential presence, diplomatically insisted that nothing occurred or was discussed by the President or himself that would be merely personal and social.

XXX Representative Hemenway arrived to-day to meet with the House appropriations committee, of which he is a member. The particular bill in which he is interested is the legislative, executive and judicial, the being composed of General Bingham of Pennsylvania, Mr. Hemenway and Colonel Livingstone of Georgia. Speaking of the ship subsidy bill, Mr. Hemenway said today that if he had to vote on it now he would vote against it. He added that further consideration of the subject or a change in the tems of the bill might alter somewhat weaker to-night; is taking very his view, but at this time he could not be

proposed measure. Miss Agnes M. Doig, of Madison, was to-day appointed assistant teacher of the Indian school at Blue Canyon, A. T. Salary, \$480 per annum.

xxx The President has decided to appoint Francis T. Bowles, naval constructor in charge of the New York navy yard, chief ment from active service next March of pulse, 76. At 9 o'clock in the evening his Rear Admiral Hichborn, the present in-

cumbent. XXX The rivers and harbor committee of the House met to-day and began the preparation of its appropriation bill. It was decided that no hearings will be granted except in special cases. The impression among the members is that the estimates of the engineers, approved by the secretary of war, will be closely followed in

making the bill. A delegation of veterans of the civil war from many of the States, headed by General Daniel E. Sickles, of New York, called on the President by appointment to-day and congratulated him on the result of the recent election. There were thirty in the party and they were received in the IIbrary. The President responded briefly. telling the veterans how deeply he appreciated their efforts in his behalf, and Charles S. Hale, Bishop of Cairo, is lying that he would gladly make the acknowledgment that had been suggested. Indiana was represented in the delegation by Col.

XXX The issue between the State Department and Turkey over the withholding of an exequatur to Dr. Thomas H. Norton, to be CHICAGO, Ill., Nov. 26. - The action Bishop Seymour expects a call to Cairo at | consul at Harpoot, has passed into the

lvan N. Walker.